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FINANCE INQUIRY URGED IN VANCOUVER

Hauptmann Jury Hears Defence Say Crime "Inside Job"

Ladder at Window Was "Plant," Says E. J. Reilly in Final Address to Men and Women Who Will Decide Case; Betty Gow's and Late O. Whately's Names Mentioned

Prosecution Claims Its Case Proved

Flemington, N.J., Feb. 11.—The final defence plea for Bruno Richard Hauptmann to-day turned into utterances of charges against Betty Gow and the dead Olie Whately and denunciation of the aged Dr. John F. Jaffie.

Condemned stands behind something in this case that is untrue," Edward J. Reilly, chief defence counsel, told the jury which is trying Hauptmann for his life on a charge of kidnapping and murdering Baby Lindbergh.

Dr. Condemned was the reason inter-mediate for Charles A. Lindbergh, father of the slain child. He testified he paid \$50,000 to Hauptmann to kidnap the child.

Defence counsel referred to an original contention of an "inside job."

"Colonel Lindbergh was stabbed in the back by those who worked for him," said Chief Defence Counsel Reilly.

Reilly declared a gang kidnapped the baby with the aid of "disloyal agents" and in this connection he named the nursemaid, Miss Gow, and Olie Whately, the late Lindbergh butler.

He charged the nursemaid was the only person aside from the Lindberghs who knew the baby was to be in Hopedale on the night of the crime, and of Olie Whately, the butler, who said he had charge of the dog which failed to bark when the baby was taken.

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MENTAL CASES REPATRIATED

Sixty-five Chinese From B.C. Mental Homes Sent Back to China

Under an arrangement between the Provincial Government and Chinese authorities, sixty-five Chinese mental cases have been repatriated this week, Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, announced to-day.

The sixty-five Chinese, coming from the B.C. and Wilfrid Road mental homes, are now aboard the C.P.R. liner Empress of Russia, bound for their homeland. They sailed Saturday.

Registration on the subject has been in progress for many months and Chinese authorities finally consented to the return of their countrymen provided British Columbia would pay the transportation.

Dr. Weir explained that as far as British Columbia was concerned, the arrangement was a good one, both financially and otherwise. Care of the patients is estimated at about \$400 a year each, so the full saving on this account would run about \$200,000 to \$250,000 a year, depending, of course, on the lifetime of the patients.

Furthermore, the removal of these patients will allow more room for other cases with which the institutions are overcrowded.

This is the second group of Chinese to be repatriated within the last few months. Recently a group of 150 destitute Chinese were sent back to China with their own consent and at the B.C. government's expense. They were repatriated.

German Note to Britain and France on Air Pact and Eastern Locarno Drafted

Berlin, Feb. 11.—Chancellor Adolf Hitler will accept the Anglo-French proposals for a wide-spread peace and security scheme in Europe "in principle," and as the basis for further negotiations, it was indicated here to-day.

This course was the subject of discussion in high quarters following Hitler's departure Saturday for Berchtesgaden, his Alpine home, and the new Baron Konstantin von Neurath, the Reich Foreign Minister, will have a definite reply to make to London and Paris by Friday of this week.

It seems likely now that the significant document, which is awaited eagerly by the whole of Europe, will be ready by mid-week. On Thursday, Friday, Leopold von Bismarck, Reich Ambassador in London, and Roland Koester, Reich Ambassador in Paris, will be ready to communicate the reply to the governments of Britain and France.

NOT KNOWN TO PUBLIC
It is, of course, premature to make any conjectures on the probable contents of the German note.

Germany, Italy and Belgium were invited by Britain and France to join in a definite air alliance, putting teeth into the Locarno Treaty, and establishment of the proposed

START OF SESSION
When the jury filed into the box for the start of this forenoon's session it came to hear a summary of the evidence the state had piled up against the defendant, and then to listen to Chief Defence Counsel Edward J. Reilly's plea for Hauptmann's acquittal.

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JUROR ON DUTY DESPITE HEART ATTACK



One of the twelve jurors who to-morrow or Wednesday will be given the Hauptmann case for decision is shown at the left above. He is Leonard Case. When the picture was taken last week in Flemington, N.J., he was being assisted to courtrooms from his hotel. Only the evening before he had suffered a heart attack. Since then he has been on duty every day and expects to complete his work as a juror.

For Second Time Cruiser Rushes To Aid Schooner

Australia, Carrying Duke of Gloucester, Returns to Where Seth Parker is in South Seas

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—An SOS call from the "adventure ship" Seth Parker sent the grey cruiser Australia through a galling South Sea storm early to-day to the rescue of the battered old schooner.

It was the second time, in twenty-four hours, the Australian warship, with the Duke of Gloucester aboard, had altered toward the Parker on a similar errand of mercy. The United States navy also went into action.

The naval radio station at Honolulu said a navy tug had been ordered to leave the base at Samoa at 6:30 a.m. Honolulu time (9 a.m. Pacific standard time) for the stricken craft.

MYSTERY AND SKEPTICISM
The SOS call elicited a day of mystery and skepticism concerning the schooner's condition.

At dawn yesterday the Australian cruiser came alongside in response to trouble messages that had been coming for three days, only to find the smaller craft in apparently good shape. The cruiser was told its assistance was "no longer needed."

The Australia continued on her way after sending out a skeptical report on the Seth Parker's trouble. The SOS came about fourteen hours later.

Radioed on the basis of the SOS flashing fourteen hours after the two vessels had parted company, the cruiser should not take longer than ten to twelve hours to re-trace its course.

RADIO ENTERTAINER
Chief claim to fame of the adventurous schooner is the fact its master, Phillips H. Lord, is a widely known entertainer. He uses the name "Seth Parker" in his presentation.

Lord early to-day wirelessly listened in he was discontinuing his SOS because of the Australia's help. However, he asked them to leave the lower frequency on the end of their radio bands clear.

The point from which the SOS was sent is about 800 miles east of the Society Islands and almost as far west of the Society Islands. The Australia was approximately 250 miles away when she turned about.

GALE LASHES COOK ISLANDS

Wellington, N.Z., Feb. 11.—Through their sole remaining means of communication, the Hatterton wireless station, the inhabitants of Cook Islands reported to-day that the worst hurricane in years had been raging since Saturday.

The wireless reports said the station itself was menaced by huge waves and was likely to collapse at any moment. The last reports said the barometer was still falling.

The government offices in the islands have been heavily damaged, although no deaths have been reported.

MUST COMPLY WITH ORDER

Construction Industry Wage Rule Being Evaded, Board Told

The Board of Industrial Relations was getting ready to-day to check up on employers who are not complying with its minimum wage order in the construction industry.

This was announced by Adam Bell, chairman, following receipt of complaints that some employers were misreading the order and paying skilled craftsmen less than the minimum.

"When we passed the order, which fixes at least 35 'hour' minimums in certain localities and 40 cents for the rest of the province, it was specifically stated that this was to be taken as fixing a basic minimum below which none should be paid," said Mr. Bell.

"The intention was that ordinary laborers should get at least this and skilled craftsmen would be paid higher, according to their own scales. However, it has been reported in some cases the ordinary laborers are getting the minimum and skilled men are being paid less."

The order, Mr. Bell pointed out, quite plainly applies to every "piece" in the construction industry. The industry is defined to cover "construction, reconstruction, repair, alteration or demolition of any building, railway, tramway, harbor, dock, pier, canal, bridge, viaduct, sewer, drain, well, telegraphic or telephonic installation, electrical undertaking, gaswork, waterworks or other works of construction as well as the preparation for any such work or structure."

AWAIT REPORT ON ARRESTED MAN
Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—A reply has been received to inquiries sent out by the Department of External Affairs through the British consul at Legas, Bolivia, concerning the arrest of Norman Johnson, Canadian citizen, who was reported to have been arrested on a charge of spying for Paraguay in the Chaco war zone.

Crisis Comes For British Cabinet

Some Political Correspondents in London Say Test at Hand

By GEORGE HAMILTON
Canadian Press Staff Writer
London, Feb. 11.—Eventful days lie ahead for the National Government, whose difficulties are increasing. Rumors of an impending crisis multiply while the Conservatives, who furnish roughly 50 per cent of the government's strength in Parliament, bubble with discontent.

Political correspondents are at times and events. "A crisis of first class importance has developed for the National Government during the week-end," writes the political correspondent of The London Daily Mail.

"Rumors of a political crisis do not run black headlines in The Daily Telegraph," writes the ministerial shuffler for some months.

Various factors enter the troubled scene. Encouraged by the Waverley, Liverpool, by-election in which Labor secured the seat as the Conservative vote was split between government and anti-government Conservatives, the Conservative "die-hards" are fighting the new Indian constitution bill with all their might.

The die-hards and a large body of Conservatives, moderate in principle, also have no love for Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin. They would see the advent of another government chieflain, with no quinquies of regret.

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Bondholders Hear Plans For Committee and Expert To Study City's Revenues

OIL RANGES PUT OUT COAL

They Are Greatest Problem, J. R. Kingham Tells Inquiry; Too Many Docks

"Have you many complaints about the price of coal being too high?" C. H. O'Halloran, committee counsel, asked J. R. Kingham, president of the Kingham-Gillies Coal Company Ltd., at the resumption to-day of the British Columbia fuel inquiry before Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald. It was Mr. Kingham's third day on the stand.

"We hear quite a little comment that the price of coal is too high," Mr. Kingham replied.

"Are these complaints justified?" Mr. O'Halloran asked.

"I don't think I am qualified to answer," Mr. Kingham replied. "As far as the dealers are concerned, we could not operate on a smaller margin. But I cannot speak regarding the selling price of the coal to us. I think that if the price were lower we could sell more coal. If our tonnage were greater we could reduce our overhead per ton."

"That is just another way of saying there are too many dealers," Mr. Justice Macdonald interpreted.

In reply to further questions from Mr. O'Halloran, Mr. Kingham explained that five years ago there were five dealers here handling Canadian Collieries coal, one handling Granby-Cassidy coal, and three other small volume dealers handling other coals. Then the Canadian Collieries did away with their direct agency here and left the field open to any retailers. The result was a flood of new retailers into the business.

OIL RANGE COMPETITION
"What is your opinion is the greatest problem the coal dealer in Victoria faces?" Mr. O'Halloran asked.

"Apart from weather condition, our greatest problem is the competition from kitchen range oil burners," Mr. Kingham replied. "Oil fuel ranges have been going in in large numbers in the last year. I know they have displaced some electric ranges and they have interfered very seriously with our business."

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SETS RECORDS WITH ORDINARY CAR



SIR MALCOLM CAMPBELL

Daytona Beach, Feb. 11.—Sir Malcolm Campbell, world automobile speed king, set new United States record to-day while forced to leave his record-breaking Bluebird in its garage because of inadequate beach conditions.

He boosted the flying start records as follows:
One mile, from 88.395 to 88.302.
Five miles, from 76.237 to 86.01.
Sir Malcolm set the new records in a new 1935 sedan.

CO-OPERATION ASKED
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There may be no way to solve them, he said, "but unless the bondholders and the holders of real estate can get together, we are heading into worse disaster."

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Mayor McGeer Suggests Meeting Name Small Group to Make Report; Delegates, at Request of J. W. deB. Farris, Spokesman for British Investors, Adjourn Till To-morrow

Co-operation Is Mayor's Request

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Feb. 11.—The meeting of bondholders of Vancouver adjourned again to-day to meet again to-morrow to consider what J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., representative of bondholders of Great Britain, termed changed proposals from Mayor G. G. McGeer than those contained in the notice of meeting.

The notice, and the only information which had been available to the holders in Great Britain of \$17,000,000 worth of bonds, which he represented, had said the meeting was called to consider the proposal of the city to suspend for the time being payment of 50 per cent of interest charges on Vancouver's bonds and requested the bondholders accept the reduction.

Mayor McGeer at to-day's meeting, however, had proposed that the meeting appoint a committee to go into the financial position of the city and he moved the meeting adjourn to give the bondholders an opportunity to study this suggestion. As to the suggestion in the notice of meeting, he had only one instruction. "You may guess what it is," he said, "to-morrow he might have another instruction. He did not know."

The meeting accepted Mr. Farris's suggestion.

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SCHOOL DAMAGED BY EXPLOSION

Associated Press
Bridgford, Mass., Feb. 11.—An explosion to-day damaged St. Andrew's parochial school here while 500 pupils attended classes.

The blast blew out part of a front wall and threw the school into confusion. Some pupils were reported overcome by gas fumes, but the majority reached safety, filing out of the building in the drill formation.

Italian Troops To Go To Africa

Strong Force Sent to Abyssinian-Somaliand Border if Protests Ignored; Armed Clashes Ahead

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SEE REVOLT IN CONGRESS

Roosevelt May Face Rising Legislative Dissatisfaction, Say Some Followers

Washington, Feb. 11.—A major revolt against President Roosevelt was

said today by some Democratic leadership in Congress to be in store unless he makes even more concessions to the legislative branch of the government.

These same leaders, however, said the President was now listening to advice from those who long had argued that with the backing of the Congress, Roosevelt should have greater freedom of action.

But leaders—particularly those in the House—balanced additional things which they termed "mistakes" against the relaxation of executive authority.

BIGGLY WIGGLY

Specials for Tuesday and Wednesday
FEBRUARY 12 AND 13

MARKET SPECIALS—739 Fort St.

KETTLE RENDERED PACIFIC SHORTENING, lb.	11c
(Limit 3 lbs.)	
LEAN PORK STEAKS, lb.	18c
HEILAND STEAKS, lb.	22c
T-BONE STEAKS, lb.	22c

Wednesday Morning Only

Your choice of: 2 lbs. Beef Stew, 2 lbs. Lamb Stew,
2 lbs. Veal Stew, together with
5 lbs. Mixed Vegetables—all for 30c

Jelly Powders

Full 4-oz. Packages
4 PKGS. 15c

Combination Special

1 large pkg. CHIPS and
2 bars KIRK'S CASTLES
ALL FOR 19c

CANNED FRUITS

BLUEBERRIES	2 tin 25c
APRICOTS, Bumble, Choice, Australia	2 tin 25c
PEARS	2 tin 25c
FRONTIER 35	2 tin 23c
PEACHES	2 tin 25c
QUINCY 35, tin	15c
PINEAPPLE, Libby's sliced or crushed, No. 1 flat tin	14c

DOG FOOD

DALE'S	2 tin 23c
PARD	10c
16-oz. tin	10c
BALLARD'S	2 tin 25c

CANDY SPECIALS

Jelly Beans, lb.	15c
English Toffee, lb.	25c
10 Toffee, 2 bars 5c	15c
10 Toffee, 2 bars 15c	15c

Heinz Ketchup, large bottle.....15c
Gold Dust.....15c
Corn on the Cob.....2 bars 25c

OXYDOL	18c
FAIRY	3 bars 10c
SOAP	4 bars 19c

SWANS DOWN CAKE	29c
COCONUT	29c
Fancy long sherd, lb.	23c
CHOCOLATE	29c
Baker's Premium, 1/2 lb.	22c

PURE MAPLE SYRUP	22c
SMALL WHITE	2.9c
BEANS	2.9c
SOY POLINE	8c
OLD BUTTER	9c
CLEANER	9c

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Apples	5 lbs. 25c
Washed Carrots	4 lbs. 6c
LEMONS, Medium Sunkist, doz.	12c
TOMATOES, lb.	15c
Marmalade Oranges (White Skin)	6oz. 33c
Grapefruit, large size	4 for 19c
Oranges (Green and juicy)	35c
POTATOES, Russet Gem, 10 lbs.	10c
BUTTER	27c
EGGS	3.79c

HAUPTMANN JURY HEARS DEFENCE SAY CRIME 'INSIDE JOB'

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Anthony M. Hauptmann, the youthful principal of Humberston County, had been chosen for the task of giving the resume of the state's case which provided Hauptmann's commission.

As the exhibit was being arranged, Hauptmann was led into the room. He was seated at a table, and the judge, who was seated at the head of the table, asked him to read the statement which he had prepared.

Hauptmann read the statement, which was a plea of guilty to the crime of murder. He said that he had killed the victim, and that he had done so because he was jealous of her.

The judge then asked Hauptmann if he had anything to say in his defense. Hauptmann said that he had nothing to say, and that he was ready to accept the punishment which the law prescribed.

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B.C. To Stick By Constitutionality

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constitutionality of reforms proposed by Premier Bennett was discussed. In this debate, according to Ottawa reports, the definite purpose of the federal government was disclosed to the public by the Premier's statement that he was prepared to resort to a new expedient.

"It is even prepared to 'trench' upon the powers of the provinces on the ground that where a national law is involved, the Dominion is paramount," the Canadian Press said.

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Canada's Anti-war Film Is Released

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Some early battle sequences are reminiscent, made years ago under the authority and direction of the British Government; but most of it is the Canadian official film taken by the staff of Lord Beaverbrook when he was director of the Canadian record office in London during the war.

The picture is now in its last stage of having the sound effects inserted. These are the spoken narrative, with a background of music appropriate to the sequences.

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FOR SECOND TIME CRUISER RUSHES TO AID SCHOONER

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CALL FOR HELP

Then came the SOS at 10 o'clock Sunday night, P.M.T. "Sally Parker in distress and requests assistance," read the SOS. "Hitting fog and seeking help."

Seconds later the Australia answered the SOS on the way.

"Okay, then," replied the schooner. "A short while before the actual SOS came, the Parker warned: 'If we lose contact it is a sign we have gone over.'"

ITALIAN TROOPS TO GO TO AFRICA

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down this afternoon on Italian newspapers.

Official communiqué said two army divisions had been instructed to gather at their concentration points, and the class of 1911 had been ordered to leave for Africa.

The communiqué did not mention the date of the mobilization order, but it was issued shortly after the Italian army had been ordered to leave for Africa.

CRISIS COMES FOR BRITISH CABINET

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The younger Conservatives are plainly disturbed over the 4,000,000 unemployed and the general election at the most only twelve months ahead. They are constantly urging a definite lead and more action.

The "dole" regulations have proved tricky hurdles for the government. An emergency bill to re-secure the old rates has to be rushed through Parliament, but despite the government's announcement of a relaxation at an estimated expense of \$25,000,000 a year, the demonstrations against the regulations continue.

And the Labor opposition is seizing the golden opportunity to press a motion of censure. This has been done, but the Laborites have not been able to secure a favorable moment to spring their own "New Deal" as a remedy for unemployment.

LOOKING AHEAD

The government's day was complicated with an open attack on the leader of the Labor opposition in the House of Commons.

Speaking yesterday evening at Manchester, Mr. Chamberlain, leader of the Conservative party, said: "They have signed all kinds of conventions for peace and the end of it is that they want to sign a new convention for war."

He said that the government's policy was to "bring about a new convention for peace and the end of it is that they want to sign a new convention for war."

MISSING GIRL TELEPHONES

Miss Mary McElroy informs Father in Kansas City She is in Springfield, Ill.

Kansas City, Feb. 11.—Miss Mary McElroy, who mysteriously disappeared yesterday evening, is in Springfield, Ill., where she was found by her father.

The telegram was read to Judge J. B. McElroy over the telephone. His daughter said she did not know how she had reached the Illinois city.

Judge McElroy said an airplane would be sent to Springfield to bring her home.

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ALFRED GRAY, 213-11th Street N.W., Calgary, Alta.

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Dear Sir:—I took Harris Wondro and received such great benefit therefrom that I feel it is quite necessary to pass the good word along to the benefit of others who may receive similar results. Several years ago I contracted a severe cold which brought on Bronchial Asthma. I tried many different treatments but never found relief from them. A friend suggested me to try Harris Wondro and I must say it is the only medicine that has ever helped me. I was so improved after taking one bottle that I took three more and continued to improve until I was completely better. I can confidently recommend Harris Wondro to anyone for Bronchial Asthma. Yours truly,

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FOR SALE AT ALL DRUG STORES

Finance Inquiry Urged in Vancouver

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charter, was being disregarded, he said. "In other words," the mayor stated, "no discrimination was made between 'bad debts' and 'good debts' and collectable debts. Budgets were balanced by selling assets which could not be collected. It is just like the townships who tried to feed themselves by making the hole in the doughnut larger each day."

He thought every bondholder was entitled to the privilege of turning in his bond for a principal amount if he were not satisfied with interest payments, but Vancouver said the City of London and other places of refunding a bond for its principal amount. "The City of Vancouver had paid out in interest more than it had ever borrowed from bondholders. In the last six years it had paid to bondholders more than it had borrowed."

"Why did you borrow?" someone asked. "Because we were busy," he said, "the mayor replied. The question you should ask is: 'Why did you borrow?'"

A great many people had been paying back out of reserves which were being depleted or paying out under forced conditions to save tax sales, he said. But now the city was unable to hold tax sales because it was unable to take over such property. "We are going to have a decline of tax sales in the coming year."

In an adjacent municipality 30 per cent of the property holders were carrying the whole burden of taxation. "Are we going to force Vancouver into the same position?"

The spirit of the meeting is not to impose an arbitrary reduction of 50 per cent, or any reduction, if some way can be found to pay the interest in full, he said. He invited the bondholders to come to the city and save the interests of not only the propertyholders but of the bondholders as well. I do not think real estate can continue to carry the increasing load of city government.

Saying the city would not vote its bonds on any particular issue at this meeting, except at the request of the bondholders, the mayor added: "We do not propose to force our opinion on this meeting."

Following the mayor's introductory remarks, George Martin of Vancouver was appointed chairman of the meeting. He called on the mayor to make a statement of the city's position.

The condition of city finances, Mayor Martin said, when he took the floor again, was much more serious than was realized. Although the annual reports might indicate a surplus for the last four years, no money was being saved. The city was in a financial straits, he said, and he was sure that at present the city had a total outstanding debt of \$1,000,000.

ACCEPT PLANS IN PRINCIPLE

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Eastern Lorne and Central European ports was envisaged, along with Germany's return to the League of Nations, and consequent revision of the disarmament clauses of the Treaty of Versailles, with an eye to conclusion of a general scheme for limitation of armaments.

Italy Saturday announced its adherence to the principles of the agreement, and said it was prepared to accept the plan in principle. "We are going to generally approve the proposals."

There are good reasons for believing the German reply will be positive and couched in a friendly tone. The Reich Government has stood, as the basis for free negotiations.

It will be emphasized that in this undertaking Germany must be considered as the equal of the other participating powers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

By Dr. E. Kerr, formerly of Danvers, has been appointed sole agent on Vancouver Island for the "Overbeck Rejuvenator." The therapeutic value of electricity is now fully recognized. This is the most perfect system yet devised as it is ideal for self-treatment. Until a suitable office is found, enquiries may be sent to P.O. Box 841, Victoria.

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To-night—Fourth concert of Shipwrecked—Empire Hotel, 8.30 o'clock. Marguerite Ritter, pianist. Mary Teworth, soprano.

Under the auspices of St. John's Ladies' Guild, a Valentine tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Townsley, 234 Simon Street, 5 to 6 o'clock, Thursday, February 15.

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FARM DEBTS ARE ADJUSTED

Federal Finance Minister Gives Report on Operations of Act

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—(Canadian Press)—The first steps toward making use of the debt adjustment provisions of the "Farm Credit Act" adopted at the last session of Parliament, and at least 1,000 applications have already been received.

Minister of Finance, Mr. R. B. Bennett, said in a speech before the House of Commons that the act was a public service and that it was already beginning to show results.

At the end of January 2,500 formal applications had been received at the central office in Ottawa and it was believed the total applications signed by farmers amounted to 65,000.

In Saskatchewan 130 cases had been appealed to the provincial board of review, forty-nine had been heard and twenty-five had been settled. In nine cases the board declined to formulate a proposal for settlement.

There had been 100 appeals to the board in Alberta and forty heard. In Manitoba there had been 150 appeals and thirty-three heard. In Ontario 120 appeals had been taken and thirty-five heard and in Quebec 520 appeals and thirty heard.

BRITISH AUTHOR SEES SOUL NUMB

Hauptmann's State Due To War Services As a Boy, Says Ford Madox Ford

Flintington, N.J., Feb. 11.—The vacant look in Hauptmann's face as he sits in court, the central figure in the most emotional crime of the day, has attracted more than one comment. There is nothing evasive about it. It is not particularly withdrawn. It is empty, unfeeling, as though the man's windows open on nothing. Some have wondered if it is a calmness beyond the average range.

But Ford Madox Ford, noted British author, has explained that look most aptly. He, too, says that Hauptmann seems beyond this world of care and beyond our hopes. But he gives a reason. The carpenter went to war with the German troops when he was only seventeen. Lots of other boys did, too. Sensitive, half-frightened lads, scared to the soul with the grim reality of the horrors that their young eyes beheld. They had seen life on the battlefield, they had seen the death of their comrades, they had seen the horror of the gas.

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In the revelation of that experience it is not difficult to understand why Hauptmann's eyes show an inability to feel acutely the stigma that is branding his name. It is almost as though his soul has withdrawn. But it hasn't. It can't feel any more. IDEALISM WRECKED IN WAR.

When we have walked with suffering, crime, baseness, seen them in their stark reality, and comprehended them, there can be no longer tragedy that will ever again hurt. True, there are those who walk among graves untouched by death. But when once comprehension has come the harm is done. When sensitivity has burned itself out in a spiritual crucifixion the soul cannot respond again, for the recurring pain, though monumental to others, will be as pin pricks, vaguely felt on a hardened surface, to the one who has left no emotional response.

As a lad of seventeen Hauptmann saw wholesale brutality in a world dedicated to death and pain. He saw it and comprehended it with frightened young eyes—calloused eyes now as he sits in court. He fought his way through that terrified Gethsemane that laid waste France and Germany and Belgium only a score of years ago. When the war was done, so was idealism. Burned out. Fled in the smoke and cannon roar. The boys, who could never be men in spirit came home.

And thus we see so easily how the man accused of the heartless kidnapping has not grasped the horror of his plight. It does not affect his innocence or guilt. But it explains his reaction able to enormity of the crime, if he did commit it, and to the great injustice done him if he did not. He has been in Hell before. The present one cannot wound him. So it is with any great experience in life, which is comprehended with heart and soul as well as body. "The heart once broken is a heart no more." Edna St. Vincent Millay writes in a deathless sonnet.

The spirit tortured till it crumbles is never well and complete again.

J. A. McDOUGAL PASSES AWAY

Former Northwest Territories Official Dies in Vancouver

Canadian Press—Vancouver, Feb. 11.—The thinning ranks of Canada's pioneers of the northwest lost another member yesterday with the death in St. Paul's Hospital here of John Alexander McDougal, sixty-six-year-old retired federal government agent of the Northwest Territories.

Born in Ottawa he was educated at Ottawa College. He was prominent in amateur sports circles there for several years, playing for the Ottawa City Football Club. He was also a member of the Ottawa Rowing Club.

He was employed in the Ottawa water works department before leaving in 1908 for the Yukon, where he was appointed collector of customs with headquarters at Dawson in 1909. He returned to Ottawa in 1913 as a customs officer and seven years later was transferred to Fort Smith as government agent, which position he held until his retirement last September, when he came to Vancouver. He is survived by the widow, three sons, Archibald, Louis and Donald, and a daughter, Mary, all of Vancouver.

Archibald J. McDougal of Ottawa is a brother.

Burial will be in Vancouver.

Sir H. C. Lambert Dies in London

Canadian Press—London, Feb. 11.—Sir Henry Charles Lambert, who formerly held several posts in the Colonial Office, died yesterday. He was sixty-six. Sir Henry was assistant under-secretary of state in the Colonial Office and secretary to the Imperial Conference from 1918 until 1921. From that time until 1932, when he retired, he was senior crown agent for the colonies. He visited Canada in 1928.

WILL THE ANTARCTIC BE THE RESORT OF THE FUTURE



Scenes of the Antarctic where Sir Douglas Mawson envisions the resort of the future.

Sir Douglas Mawson

According to the prediction of Sir Douglas Mawson, noted British explorer, the Antarctic is to be the resort of the future. He sees in the vast area in the south great possibilities as a holiday centre both in summer and in winter, and also believes it may become an important point for trade. Sir Douglas sees the most benefits coming out of the south Pole region under British control because "it is obvious that unified control under British inter-imperial administration is most certain to procure the ultimate benefit to the territory. Contiguous British Dominions have already claimed a considerable portion of the land area, and rightly so, for not only has Great Britain played a leading part in their discovery, but her proximate lands are better in a position to administer their control and development." Sir Mawson considers the Antarctic as a winter sports ground would be a thrill to Australians and also for summer pleasure cruises in modern liners through the ice packs.

GOVERNOR SOON TO VISIT B.C.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The Governor-General and Lady Beaulieu hope to carry out a farewell tour of the prairie provinces and British Columbia in the early spring, according to an announcement.

Circumstances permitting, they will leave Ottawa March 18, and after paying brief visits to the principal cities in those provinces, will return to Ottawa shortly before Easter.

VISITS TORONTO

Ottawa, Feb. 11 (Canadian Press)—O. Hanson, M.P. for Skeena, spent the week-end in Toronto.

THUGS ACTIVE IN VANCOUVER

Fog Covers Hold-ups in Terminal City; Cash Registers Are Taken

Canadian Press—Vancouver, Feb. 11.—With heavy banks of fog to hide their activities, hoodlums and burglars were busy last night in the city. Three armed holdups took place, three cash registers were stolen, and a number of city-owned vehicles were damaged. Total value of loot, cash and merchandise was estimated at \$12,500.

Several other holdups had taken place in the city. Two men entered the Pacific Fruit Store in the 1000 block of West Fourth Avenue, and the other two men drew a gun on the Chinese proprietor, Louis Lee. When he went to serve them, he was held under the counter. The men took a cash register containing \$150 in cash, and carried it to a car parked at the curb. The other "L.A." withdrew and the car sped away in the fog. Police later found the cash register a short distance from the scene of the holdup. There were 12 cents in the cash register.

A short time later an automobile drove up and parked at the rear of the 4th and Third streets, 700 block of Third Street. Two men entered the car. One of the men was a Chinese and the other was a white man. They entered the car and the Chinese man took a cash register from the car. The white man then took a cash register from the car. The car then drove away in the fog. Police later found the cash register a short distance from the scene of the holdup. There were 12 cents in the cash register.

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BENNETT MAY VISIT ALBERTA

Canadian Press—Edmonton, Feb. 11.—Premier R. B. Bennett, or a member of his cabinet, will address mass meetings in Edmonton and Calgary during the Easter recess of the House of Commons. It was announced at a northern Alberta Conservative conference held here Saturday.

Final arrangements are to be made by Senator W. A. Giesbrecht, who is scheduled to leave for the Senate session on Wednesday.

D. H. Duggan, M.P.P., Alberta Conservative leader, who communicated with the Prime Minister in regard to the meetings, said Mr. Bennett had given assurance he would come to Alberta then if at all possible, but if he could not come other members of the cabinet would be here.

NO CABINET INVITATION

Canadian Press—London, Feb. 11.—Speculation on the possibility of former Prime Minister David Lloyd George entering the National Government was denounced by a member of the ministry Saturday evening, speaking at Gungah, Sir Thomas Inskip, Attorney-General, told a Conservative gathering that such talk was "only a stunt."

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Dr. S. Campbell, Winnipeg, Dies
Widely-known Physician Passes Away in Sixty-fifth Year

Canadian Press—Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Dr. Spurgeon Campbell, C.M.G., prominent Winnipeg physician, died suddenly at his home here yesterday following a heart attack.

For distinguished service during the Great War, Dr. Campbell was made a companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George by King George. He was a member of the 10th Cavalry Field Ambulance prior to the war and went overseas with the 4th Field Ambulance early in 1915.

He is survived by the widow, two brothers and three sisters. His only son, Kenneth, was killed in France while serving as an aviator.

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RELIEF CAMP IS SCENE OF RIOT

Twelve Arrested at Deep Bay, Between Powell River and Vancouver

Vancouver, Feb. 10.—Twelve men were arrested last night by provincial police in alleged disturbances in a riot at the Deep Bay government relief camp when bedding was burned, dishes broken and buildings damaged, according to reports received from Powell River.

BURNS CLUB TO GATHER TUESDAY

Donald S. Cameron To Speak on "The Influence of Art" Two Soloists

At the regular monthly meeting of the Burns Club in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, Donald S. Cameron, president of the Island Arts and Crafts Society, will deliver an address on "The Influence of Art." Mrs. W. R. Quinn will sing two solos, "The Banks and Breezes" and "Jennie's Dream." J. A. Matheson will sing "The Lullaby" and a selected number. There will be Highland dancing by a pupil of Miss Adeline Grant.

A report on the annual dinner held at the Empress Hotel on January 28 will also be submitted.

The Victoria Ratepayers' Association will hold its annual meeting in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening.

Beside the election of officers for 1935, the reports of the association's work during the last year will be presented, and civic matters will be discussed.

All property holders as well as members are invited to attend this meeting.

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OIL RANGES PUT OUT COAL

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with the sale of electric and gas ranges. As an indication of the effect of their spread, I may say that our sales of Nanaimo-Wellington lump coal—not used for kitchen ranges—are up 20 per cent over last year, but our sales of nut coal—which is the kitchen range coal—are down 25 per cent.

Mr. Justice MacDonald asked about the relative cost of operation.

Mr. Kingham explained it depended on how oil ranges were operated as to whether they saved money. He pointed out that the efficiency of the coal range had been improved during the last few years.

"But very little attention had been given to the possibility of such improvement until oil and gas ranges came in here to provide competition," Mr. O'Halloran said.

TOO MANY COAL YARDS

"Would centralization of coal yards be a practicable move towards reduction of the overhead in handling coal here?" Mr. O'Halloran asked.

"There are six coal docks in Victoria and a number of coal yards," Mr. Kingham replied. "Centralization of the coal yards would reduce overhead to some extent. Where we have six docks now, the business could be handled by two or three."

Mr. Robertson, counsel for the Coalition Collieries, in questioning Mr. Kingham, brought out that the Victoria retail price fixed by the Collieries on June 1, 1935, was a maximum price, and there was nothing to prevent dealers charging less if they wanted. That price was \$10.50 a ton for Nanaimo-Wellington lump, but it lasted only a few months as the dealers found they could not carry on business with such a small margin. The Collieries then sanctioned a rise of 50 cents a ton, which still left a net reduction of 50 cents a ton over the old price to the consumer. The spread on Nanaimo-Wellington lump was now \$3.50 a ton to dealers, against \$4.00 a ton previously to the 1935 arrangement.

Mr. Kingham, before leaving the stand to return this afternoon with further information, told the commission that since the new arrangement, the preparation of Nanaimo-Wellington coal has improved, so the dealers are getting better quality and graded shipments. He also said that dealers had brought in Alberta coal because of the demand for it, as consumers had complained of there being too much soot in the island coal.

SALES OFFICIAL CALLED

Mr. Langton, Victoria representative of the Vancouver Island Coal Ltd., head office Nanaimo, the sole selling agency for Canadian Collieries since October, 1930, in reply to questions from Mr. O'Halloran gave the following totals of long tone sales of coal in Victoria to all dealers:

1931 34,416 long tons
1932 41,400 " "
1933 39,800 " "
1934 31,280 " "

He added, however, that these Victoria totals did not include sales of

NEW PONTIAC NOW ON SHOW

Handsome New Models Being Displayed to Victorians at Eve Rooms

Pontiac for 1935 makes its local debut to-day with a new low-priced six joining the improved straight eight, thus for the first time entering the field with two lines of cars. The six, available in both standard and de luxe models, is a six-cylinder edition of the straight eight, and is announced by General Motors Products of Canada Limited as a result of customer replies to the 1934 questionnaire wherein a substantial demand for a six was shown.

The new cars are on display at the showrooms of the Cecil Eve Motors Limited, 645 Yates Street.

Both Pontiac chassis have ample power, the six developing eighty-one horsepower, while the straight eight delivers eighty-four horse power. The new six, like the straight eight, reveals the art of scientific design streamlining as interpreted by General Motors engineers, and has a design that is a masterpiece in its effect yet with an individuality that unmistakably stamps the cars as Pontiacs.

Standard models are available in the six-cylinder line, and five de luxe models.

Four de luxe body styles are available on the straight eight chassis. All models have both the six and straight eight have more commodious bodies, an improvement made possible by moving engine and hood forward, while the redistribution of weight has improved the ride.

Comparing the straight with last year's Pontiac shows that many refinements and improvements have been made, many of which are included in the six. Briefly, they include: Marked change in appearance, newly designed solid steel turret-top bodies; Fisher built-in luggage space; concealed spare tire, V-type windshield; greater width in front and rear seats; new instrument panel; power windows; new door handles; new lamp; hydraulic brakes with double and triple-shock drums; new smooth action clutch; automatic choke; new steering column; motor with voltage regulator; interchangeable main connecting rod bearings; silver alloy connecting rod bearings; steel crankshaft; new clutch and gear ratio; knee-action units mounted on rigid tubular cross member, and new radiator and hood grille carried out in distinctive and daring manner.

On the standard six-cylinder model the knee-action is replaced with new standard semi-elliptic front springs.

All new features have for their purpose the enhancement of the economical performance, durability, safety, speed and riding qualities of the 1935 line, and emphasize the almost unbelievable car value of the current year.

One-piece front fenders, more deeply crowned than in 1934, are carried down to bumper height in front with inner aprons forming radio splash aprons and hood sills. Outer aprons follow the inner contours around to the level of the running boards, thus closing the gap between fenders and tires.

FINE WORK

The rear of the car exhibits a finished piece of artistry, with spare tires carried in a rear compartment.

The newly designed solid steel turret-top bodies by Fisher are a major feature of the 1935 Pontiacs. This is a single-piece seamless steel roof, beautifully streamlined to fit into the line ensemble of tear-drop design, which gives greater body strength and rigidity. Incidentally, forward of the entire body to conform to the requirements of tear-drop design has made it possible to clip a full inch off the overall height of the car by lowering the frame and using smaller wheels. As a feature of this new body construction, Pontiac introduces to the low price field for the first time the V-windshield, which has always been a custom feature.

Body insulation against both heat and cold has been well taken care of. Feet pads surround both pedal shanks. Pipes and wires from the engine are insulated where they come through the door. Doors overlap six inches at the bottom and close against fabric-covered rubber tubing. Rubber molding seals all windows and the windshield. Windshield side of the thick felt covered doors and close against soft rubber strips, while ventilator panels close against rubber moldings.

Both side and eighth reveal an all-around increase in inside body dimensions, there being a two-inch increase in width in the front seats while rear seat dimensions show an increase of three inches. Built to give the driver more elbow room, the front seat of the sedan will accommodate three passengers without crowding. Door widths in the coach models have been increased from 40½ inches to 43½ inches, and in the sedan from 35½ to 38 inches.

The instrument panel is beautiful, black with a grained oriented walnut, with four gauges conveniently grouped around the rim of the large dial containing the speedometer.

For the first time Pontiac uses hydraulic brakes of an improved design. Brake shoes are the same as in 1934. Brakes are twelve inches in diameter, 1½ inches wide with 165 square inches of braking surface. The same accurately concentric drums adopted in 1934 cars are continued, but with double and triple seals to keep out mud and water.

tard was selected for the opening meet of the year.

The shipping representatives here to-day are: J. G. McFay, Canadian Pacific Railway; L. L. Bates and E. E. Anderson, Western Mail Lines; T. E. Cullen, Dollar Steamship Lines; E. J. Middleton, Blue Funnel Line; A. L. Wise, Kerr Steamship Company; W. G. Rogers, Keweenaw Line; C. H. Jones, Eastern Line; E. S. Hocking and E. M. Bell, Hapag Tugend Line; P. F. Allen, Overseas and Oriental Navigation Company; E. H. Pearson, Costa Steam Lines; C. Winkler, Pacific-Java Steam Lines; E. M. Hunt, States Steamship Company; E. Savada, Yamashita Line; K. K. Kato, United Ocean Transport Company.

W. G. Tait and V. A. Watts are the secretaries of the conference.

TRANSPORT POLICY UP

Matters of policy affecting the operations of coast transport lines operating on the Pacific coast were discussed before the Pacific Westbound Conference, which opened the first of its sessions at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Empress Hotel under the chairmanship of E. S. White, of the Tacoma-Orient Line.

The sessions will continue here for three days.

The Pacific Westbound Conference meets here twice yearly in various cities of the Pacific northwest, this

RENDER "SAMSON" ON TWO NIGHTS

Metropolitan United Church Choir to Give This Work; Soloists Announced

Soloists for the oratorio "Samson," which will be presented in Metropolitan United Church by the choir on February 26 and March 1, have been selected.

Llewellyn Jones, tenor, will sing the title role; Thelma Johns, soprano, will take the part of Delilah and Nora Jones, contralto, that of Micah. T. Harry Johns and Fred Wright, baritone, are cast in the roles of Manoah and Harapha, respectively, and Katherine Stokes, soprano, will take the part of a Philistine woman, and Myrtle Moore, soprano, a messenger.

All of these soloists are popular with local audiences and with the support of a chorus of one hundred voices which has been rehearsing steadily for many weeks under Frank Tupman, an excellent performance of this Handel work is assured.

Birchard Parsons will be at the console of the Metropolitan organ and Maquinn Daniels will be the assisting pianist.

The Metropolitan choir is offering this oratorio as Victoria's contribution to the world-wide celebration of the two-hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Handel's birth and are confident that the presentation will receive wide support.

SUPPER MEETING

The Young People's Union sponsored the second supper meeting for the executives of all the Y. Y. societies. It was held in the Sunday School room of the Fairfield United Church. The supper was served by the Women's Auxiliary of that church.

Donald McCain, acting as chairman. After supper Ernie Fullerton and Jimmy Haggart entertained with their piano accompaniment. Dr. Henry extended a welcome to the guests and the societies represented were: First United, Metropolitan, James Bay, Victoria West, Centennial, Esquimalt, Fairfield, St. Alban's, Sidney, Oak Bay, Anderson, Victoria West, L. L. Bates, and the Chinese group. G. D. McKenzie spoke to the young people and laid before them a very worthwhile challenge. The regular monthly meeting of the union was held after the banquet with the president, Donald McCain, in the chair. Committees were arranged to look after the radio broadcast to be given in the near future. Donald McCain will attend the meeting of the British Columbia executive for Young People's work in Vancouver this month. Miss Fraser was in charge of the arrangements for the banquet. The committee for the radio broadcast was Doug Gillan, Gordon Corrie and Don McCain.

RENDER "SAMSON" ON TWO NIGHTS

Metropolitan United Church Choir to Give This Work; Soloists Announced

Soloists for the oratorio "Samson," which will be presented in Metropolitan United Church by the choir on February 26 and March 1, have been selected.

Llewellyn Jones, tenor, will sing the title role; Thelma Johns, soprano, will take the part of Delilah and Nora Jones, contralto, that of Micah. T. Harry Johns and Fred Wright, baritone, are cast in the roles of Manoah and Harapha, respectively, and Katherine Stokes, soprano, will take the part of a Philistine woman, and Myrtle Moore, soprano, a messenger.

All of these soloists are popular with local audiences and with the support of a chorus of one hundred voices which has been rehearsing steadily for many weeks under Frank Tupman, an excellent performance of this Handel work is assured.

Birchard Parsons will be at the console of the Metropolitan organ and Maquinn Daniels will be the assisting pianist.

The Metropolitan choir is offering this oratorio as Victoria's contribution to the world-wide celebration of the two-hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Handel's birth and are confident that the presentation will receive wide support.

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TRANSPORT POLICY UP

Matters of policy affecting the operations of coast transport lines operating on the Pacific coast were discussed before the Pacific Westbound Conference, which opened the first of its sessions at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Empress Hotel under the chairmanship of E. S. White, of the Tacoma-Orient Line.

The sessions will continue here for three days.

The Pacific Westbound Conference meets here twice yearly in various cities of the Pacific northwest, this

Home Furnishings Sale Features Tuesday

A Special Consignment of CHINESE FETTE RUGS

Beautiful Rugs that are different, and specially produced for the New York interior decorating trade. Every Rug a work of art. All superior quality.

Chinese Rug, size 9.0x12.0. With fawn ground, beautiful floral border and medallion in shades of rose and blue. Special \$170.00

Chinese Rug, 9.0x12.0. A plain rose relieved by beautiful brocaded medallion in two-tone rose and camel. Special \$280.00

Chinese Rug, 9.0x12.0. With blue ground, two-toned blue brocaded field, floral border in rose and fawn. Special \$275.00

Chinese Rug, 9.0x12.0. With a two-tone taupe brocaded field, relieved by rose and blue tracery. Special \$270.00

Chinese Rug, 5.0x8.0. With rose centre, dark blue border; design in lighter blue and fawn. Fine enough for a wallpiece. Special, for \$103.00

Chinese Rug, 5.0x8.0. With green field, taupe border and circle medallion. A very handsome Rug. Special, \$107.00

Chinese Rug, 5.0x8.0. With taupe ground; willow design in blue and rose. \$100.00

—Rugs, Second Floor

Whitewood Furniture

In Several Low-priced Home Utilities

Furniture of fine-grade wood, finished so that you apply stain or paint of any shade to suit your taste.

Three-drawer Desk, a very handy piece, in white wood. It has a drop front with strong supporting hinges and rack for stationery. \$8.75

Five-piece Breakfast Suite in white wood, including round gate-break table and four spindle-back chairs. All of eastern hardwood. The Suite \$8.40

Utility Cupboard—as handy as the name applies. It has two separate cupboards with hinged door; 65 ins. high and 16 ins. wide \$4.60

Chest of Drawers, with four drawers with wood pulls. Is 36 inches wide and 43 inches high—a very handy size \$6.25

Also High Chair of golden oak, with well-braced legs, overhead tray and high back. Extra special, for \$2.35

—Furniture, Second Floor



At Early Shipment of Plain or Printed Silk

DRESSES

Exceptional Values at \$14.95

Smart new tailored styles, types for misses or matrons. Many shades and color blendings. Some are trimmed with pique or organdie.

Those who are waiting for something new should see these very pretty, low-priced Dresses. In sizes 14 to 40.

—Dresses, First Floor

New Lace Flouncings

Great Value—On Sale at a Yard 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98

Many patterns to choose from. Shades represented are brown, sand, blue, rose, black and white.

—Lace, Main Floor

Fancy Marquisette

Smart Drapery at February Sale Prices

Fancy Marquisette, 38 inches wide, with dainty colored motif. Shades of rose, blue, green and gold on ivory ground. A yard \$39c

Multi-color, Striped Marquisette, 38 inches wide. Stripes run across the fabric; very smart. A yard \$38c

Marquisette, 38 inches wide, in pastel colors of rose, blue, green, gold or mauve, relieved by white cushion pin-spot. Sale price, a yard \$36c

Marquisette, 38 inches wide in a fine range of color spot. Excellent quality, a yard \$34c

—Drapery, Second Floor

Curtain Scrim

40-inch, Yard, 15c

A Scrim of firm, even construction. Plain white, ivory or ecru. —Drapery, Second Floor

Moco Net

Yard, 29c

Another popular Drapery Net of heavy, plain weave; 36 inches wide. White or ivory. —Drapery, Second Floor

Remember... Queen Alexandra Solarium

Thursday, February 14

A basket has been placed in the Staples Department for your donation. —Staples, Main Floor

Announcing the First Arrival of Spring COTTON FABRICS

We have just received our first shipment of the new Spring Cottons. These present all the latest fancy and novelty printed effects that will hold the centre of the fashion stage this spring and summer. The Fabrics are now on view, where you may inspect them at your convenience in the Staples Section. —Staples, Main Floor

For Your Valentine Party

Valentine Napkins, a pkt. of 40 15¢
Valentine Seals, a pkt. 15¢
Red Cardboard, a sheet 10¢
Heart Cut-outs, a pkt. 10¢
Valentine Tallies, a dozen, 25¢ and 30¢
Valentines of every kind, 5¢ to \$1.00

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

Announcement

All Day Friday, Feb. 15 and Saturday, Feb. 16

MISS R. J. HOUSTON (Registered Nurse)

From the Canadian factory where Fishermade "Fitwell" Health Supports are made. Will be in our Corset Department to take care of individual fittings. By Special Appointment Only

Notice the back lacing, which enables sacro-iliac support and relieves back strain which so many women suffer from. Phone Now for Your Appointment

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PERSONS AND EVENTS IN THE NEWS

STONE AGE INDUSTRY STILL SURVIVES



In the little town of Brandon, Suffolk, England, two Englishmen work at their ancient trade of flintknapping, an industry which has been carried on at Brandon since the stone age. They are the last two flintknappers the world has left—the last who make flints for the oblique gun which are used abroad by natives—to be found in England. Here is shown one of them at work on the flints, more than 800,000 of which have been shipped to China and West Africa.

BACK AT OLD TRADE AND HAPPY



"Back to the mine" is not the punishment for Miss Ida Mae Stahl that the term implies for most people. A state has imposed a year ago but been lifted, and she is shown here, back on the job near Cadiz, O., working at the trade she followed for more than twenty years. "The happy to make some money to pay off the debt on our house and get off the relief rolls," declares Ohio's only woman coal miner. "Housekeeping will be only a sideline for me from now on."

HERE IS HOCKEY WITH PUNCH!



What started out to be a hockey game between the New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks in Madison Square Garden turned out to be a free-for-all fight, when Tom Cook of the Hawks and Gilt Miller of the Rangers swapped punches. In the above picture the beginning of the fight is shown, with Miller and Cook at right starting the engagement. Miller is the figure on the right, with most of the participants on the left.

COMING-OF-AGE



Impending celebrations are likely to mark the coming-of-age this August, of Lord MacDuff, only son of Prince and Princess Arthur, of Connaught. He is the first Lord MacDuff to come of age since his maternal grandfather, the late Duke of Fife, attained his majority in 1870.

MYSTERY FIGURE



Arthur F. Homer (above), marine architect whose alleged White House contacts and inability to testify because of ill health have made him the mystery man of the Senate munitions inquiry, has been revealed as the individual who solicited funds for President Roosevelt's campaign for shipbuilders. Homer is pictured above in his office in Washington.

SEES AIR SERVICE



Sir Philip Henson, British Under-Secretary of State for Air, who said a gathering in Plymouth that he was looking forward to the inauguration of a transatlantic air route from Britain to Canada and the United States.

WOULD TAKE HITLER'S JOB



Collapsing of the Hitler regime in Germany within a few years is certain, Prince Heinrich of Luxembourg, self-styled Nazi foe, predicted an arrival in the United States to solicit support. He announced he was willing to become Hitler's successor.

SLUMS IN PROCESS OF EXTINCTION AS NEW PLAN PROCEEDS



The British Government is making strenuous efforts to wipe out the slum areas in the various cities and towns in the British Isles and it is expected that more than 1,250,000 people will be rehoused within five years. Above is a model of the magnificent new Liverpool Corporation flats now being built at Liverpool to house slum dwellers. Note the spaciousness of this modern architecture.

MONTREAL STUDENTS RAID INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET



This picture was taken at Shawbridge, Que., when 300 Montreal student skiers attended the annual interscholastic meet there. The skiing enthusiasts seemed to be scattered like flies on every available hill or slope. —Canadian Pacific Photo.

ISOLATES VITAMIN B



Ending twenty-five years of extensive research, Robert R. Williams, reported to the American Chemical Society his discovery of the chemical structure of Vitamin B, which is expected to aid in the treatment of nervous cases.

"MUSH" MARCH PUTS THE BRAKES ON



Here is a fine action picture of "Mush" March, diminutive forward on the Chicago Black Hawks squad. He is one of the smoothest wing players in the National Hockey League.

BRITAIN PLANS ONE-HOUR AIR SERVICE TO PARIS



To demonstrate the possibilities of a "flying hotel" Douglas air liner on an ultra-speedy passenger service between England and Le Bourget Aerodrome, Anthony Sukker, Dutch aircraft designer, flew one of these speedy machines over the proposed air route. If the British representative decides to establish a new speedy service between England and France they will purchase four of the above planes, which is the same type as the machine which finished second in the London-Melbourne Air Race. When this picture was taken the Al liner was about to begin its 2000-mile journey.

REILLY RILED BY ALLEGED TAMPERING



Attempts to frame him and to intimidate defense witnesses were charged by Edward J. Reilly (left), chief defense counsel for Bruno Hauptmann, following an alleged effort to induce Louis Kins (right), to retract testimony placing the Lindbergh kidnapping suspect in Bronx, N.Y., the night of the crime.

RAID ENDS HUGE COUNTERFEIT FLOOD



A twenty-one-year-old handsome blond youth, labeled the nation's master counterfeit, is in Toledo, O., jail and a ring which passed bogus bills which may total millions is shattered, federal agents say, following their seizure of the plant shown above. Clarence Alfred Brown, inset left, a lithographer, is held as the "brains" of the culprits, and his father, one brother, and two others also were arrested. The ring, agents said, was turning out excellent imitations of genuine bills and had been trained for two years.

ALMOST A FORCED LANDING



It looked for a split second as though Col. Charles A. Lindbergh would make a soft and sudden forced landing, with never a chance to bail out, but Lindbergh righted himself just in time to avert a nasty plunge. He is shown as he slipped on the icy pavement outside the Washington headquarters when he hurried to his car to evade cameras—but he did not quite quite them.

"RUDDIGORE" MAY BE GIVEN HERE

Popular Gilbert and Sullivan Opera to be Presented by University of B.C.

Special to The Times
University of B.C. Point Grey, Feb. 11.—Student Twining, of Victoria, active in student speaking and dramatic activities, was one of the speakers for the affirmative when a U.B.C. debating team engaged the University of Manitoba team this week. The U.B.C. debaters lost. The subject was "Resolved that Canada can never be a nation as long as it is divided into provinces."

Gilbert and Sullivan's "Ruddigore," which the U.B.C. Musical Society will stage at the university for four days commencing February 20, may be brought to Victoria. To date, this is no more than a possibility. Last year the society was surprisingly successful with "The Mikado" and it will no doubt make "Ruddigore" first entertainment in the event of a Victoria visit. Interest would be added by the presence of several Victoria students in the cast.

Basketball is one of the best attended sports at the University of British Columbia. Students, apparently are still remembering the final Vancouver playdowns with The Province last season, when the team that just moved them out in these playdowns went on to win the Canadian championship. This year many observers are betting that Victoria will be the squad which will meet Victoria Blue Ribbons for the provincial crown.

The present standing in the Vancouver senior league for fourteen games is: Victoria, 14 points; Adanac, 16 points; Province, 14 points; V.A.C. 10 points; Willoughby, M. Barclay and Henderson of the basketball team are probably the most popular campus sports heroes.

Exhibits scientific and spectacular were on display on the campus today when the University Engineering Society held its annual "Open House." Arrangements and demonstrations were entirely in the hands of students. Special parking facilities were planned for handling the

New Pontiac Six Joins Eight for 1935



NEW STREAMLINING

Pontiac makes its debut for 1935 with a new low-priced Six and an improved Straight Eight. An example of the Six is shown here. It is a 5-passenger Sedan with trunk. Both the Pontiac Six and the Pontiac Eight are presenting new streamlined designs. Many improvements and refinements are found in both lines. The solid-steel Turret-Top body by Fisher is one of the big features and the equipment includes hydraulic brakes. Inset is shown a rear quarter view of the Pontiac coach, revealing the beautiful streamline effect.

CANADA LIFE OPENS BRANCH

John H. Norton is Manager of New Insurance Office in Victoria

down town and student crowds. The exhibits include those relating to the work of the chemical, civil, mechanical, electrical, forestry, geology and mining and metallurgical departments.

This week the entire staff of The Province showed its capability by "getting out" the issue of one of the large downtown newspapers. The latest issue of the student publication, however, editorially chides the Student Council for trying to stop the campus sale of the particular issue of the downtown paper brought out by the students. There is a student rule forbidding sale of papers and magazines on the campus, but the "publishers" (U.B.C. newspapermen) apparently feel this rule might have been overlooked so as to give the student body a chance to view the scribe's brain-child.

RUGBY UNION

Canadian Press
London, Feb. 11.—Results of games in the English Rugby Union on Saturday, follow:
Aberdeen 24, Guy's Hospital 2.
Bedford 11, Bath 5.
Bradford 14, Liverpool 14.
Coventry 5, Northampton 3.
Cardiff 6, Gloucester 0.
Croskeys 20, Pontypool 0.
Devonport Services 19, Portsmouth Services 10.
Bath 19, Reading 6.
Leicester 6, Newport 0.
Manchester 14, Liverpool 9.
Nuneaton 6, London Welsh 6.
North 10, Bridgend 0.
Oxford University 3, Bristol 12.
Plymouth Albion 11, Barnstaple 0.
Swansea 4, Llanelli 5.
Westerloans 0, Glasgow Albion 2.
Westerloans 22, Edinburgh University 0.

insurance policy ever written in Canada nearly eighty years ago. It has faithfully done its share of this public service. During the five years of the depression nearly \$132,000,000 has been paid out to its policy holders (more than half its total assets); and during this period has fortified its assets to the extent of \$68,000,000—present assets now exceeding \$140,000,000.

In 1934, which many look on as the worst year of the depression, the



JOHN H. NORTON

company paid out over \$25,700,000, or an average of over \$70,000 daily. Evidence of the public faith in Canada Life is shown in that in 1934, and notwithstanding hard times, over \$7,000,000 of new assurances and \$12,300,000 of annuities were placed with the company, a substantial increase over the year preceding.

It is of interest to know that Canada Life activities are not confined to Canada alone. The company is international in scope, having a large volume of business in force throughout the British Isles and the United States. In New York, alone, roughly one-seventh only of the life insurance companies are permitted to operate. The fact that Canada Life is included in this number is evidence of the high regard with which it is held by our friends across the border.

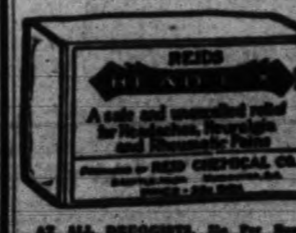
LOCAL OFFICIALS

The new branch of Canada Life will be under the management of John H. Norton, with whom will be associated Ferlie R. Fleming and W. Houghton, both of whom have been with the company for many years and need no introduction.

John H. Norton came to Victoria from the company's office in Los Angeles with a full knowledge of life insurance as applied to present day conditions.

Former Victorian Dies In Seattle

Funeral services were held in Seattle on Wednesday last for Clarence S. Clark, former Victorian, who passed away in the Sound city on February 3. Mr. Clark was born in Omaha, Nebraska, fifty-six years ago, and was for many years a resident of Victoria. He leaves his widow and one daughter, Lorraine, in Seattle, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. James Kennedy, 508 Russell Street, Victoria. Mr. Clark was a member of President's Union Local No. 29, under whose auspices the funeral was held. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, Seattle.



AT ALL DEPOTISTS. See For Best Special Agents.

Business Men's LUNCHEON 40c

Served Daily in the Victoria Restaurant Fourth Floor at "The Bay"

February Furnishing Values

BEDROOM SUITES
Dresser, chest, mirror, Hollywood vanity (with long mirror), upholstered bench and full-size bed. Beautiful, built-in matched walnut veneer. The price is only **\$89.50**

DINETTE SUITES
You'll fall in love with them the moment you see them — they're attractive and very serviceable. Dark walnut finish, combination buffet, small extension table and 4 chairs. Semi-modern design... **\$69.50**
Tables and 4 chairs as above, but in natural finish... **\$39.50**
—Fourth Floor at "The Bay"

REGULAR \$1.45 VELOURS
A splendid weight for parties and dress occasions. Another of our February furnishing bargains! Good shades; 55 inches wide. Yard... **1.19**

AXMINSTER STAIR CARPET
27 inches wide. By purchasing for your needs at this price you are effecting a worthwhile saving. Smart modern design in soft, pleasing colors. Per yard... **1.75**

GENUINE CONGOLEUM RUGS

Patterns the factory are discontinued — but they represent some of the best sellers during the past season.
Size 6'0" x 8'0", each... **\$4.50**
Size 7'0" x 8'0", each... **\$5.50**
Size 8'0" x 10'0", each... **\$7.50**
Size 9'0" x 12'0", each... **\$8.50**

THREE-PIECE LOOSE COVER SET

Made in our own workshop — loose cover experts. Choose from a range of smart new designs in modern cloth, velvet, tulle and other serviceable fabrics. Chesterfield and two chairs, covers made and fitted for... **29.75**

This offer is good for any district where our delivery vans call.

—Third Floor at "The Bay"

MEATS

CHOICE STEAKS AND CHOPS
BIBLOIN STEAK, **20c**
per lb.
ROUND STEAK, **18c**
per lb.
SHOULDER STEAK, **2 25c**
per lb.
PORK CHOPS, **25c**
per lb.
RIB LAMB CHOPS, **25c**
per lb.
LOIN LAMB CHOPS, **30c**
per lb.

PORK SAUSAGE, **18c**
per lb.
PORK SAUSAGE PATTIES, **15c**
per lb.
PORK LOAF, **15c**
per lb.

GROCETERIA

FINE QUALITY FOODS AT BARGAIN PRICES FOR TWO DAYS

BUTTER
First-grade, **3 lb. 79c**
NOTE—We state the grade.

LARD, Shamrock, 2 lb. 25c
CHEESE, Ontario Milk, 1 lb. 17c
BACON, sliced, 22c
per lb.

LARGE JUNKY PACKETS OF ASSORTED BISCUITS, 15c
each

Lotus Rice, 2 lb. 9c
Libby's Corned Beef, 10c
Robin Hood Whole-Heart Flour, 19c
5-lb. sack

CITY GREEN BEANS, special, 3 lbs. 25c
Limit 2
INDIAN TEA, per 35c

COFFEE, French ground, 19c
per lb.
SWEET, TENDER PEAS, 10c
per lb.
G. & E. TOMATO CATSUP, large bottle, 16c
ATLANTIC GOLDEN BANTAM EGGS, per doz. 10c
I.S.C. CREAM WAFERS, 15c
large pkg.

EXTRA SPECIAL SOAP VALUES
SUNLIGHT, large carton, Limit 2, 17c
ENGLISH LAUNDRY SOAP, 8 bars, 25c
CREAMER, large tin, 7 for 25c
PEARL WHITE SOAP, 8 bars, 25c

★ STAR SPECIALS ★
BRUSH MATCHES, 17c
pkt. of 25
Limit 2
SOAP, C. & E. Toilet, 7c
per lb.
Limit 2

BRIGHT SPOTS OF LAST WEEK
Bright spots of the financial and industrial week are reported by the following from our staff writers:
Toronto, Ontario — Dominion

Company will start soon on construction of a \$600,000 blast plant here.

Port Hope, Ont.—A truck and mail plant will be established here by

Manulife, who has leased part of

Port Hope Machine Company's plant.

St. Catharines, Ont.—Options have been taken on farms near Courtwright by

St. Catharines Gas Company of Bombay, India, with view to development of

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SPY PICTURE IS AT PLAYHOUSE

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Where To Go To-night

Capital Theatre
 Captain George Cooper in "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer."
 Columbia - "The Affairs of Cellini," starring Constance Bennett.
 Dominion - "The Affairs of Cellini," starring Constance Bennett.
 Playhouse - "Stamboul Quest," starring George Brent.
 Capitol Theatre - "Stamboul Quest," starring George Brent.

PLAYHOUSE STARS

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"Cellini" Now At Columbia

The frank love confessions in the famous autobiography of Benvenuto Cellini, great goldsmith and greater lover of sixteenth century Florence, are brought to life in the picture "The Affairs of Cellini," now showing at the Columbia Theatre.

GOES USUAL WAY OF HOLLYWOOD

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WIN MOTHERS GET GRAY.

Will Present Play by Shaw

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Late J. D. Macdonald Held

Dominion and City Road

Superintendencies

One of the city's best-known

figures, John D. Macdonald, passed away

Saturday evening at the family residence

1640 Monterey Avenue, aged

sixty-eight years.

Mr. Macdonald was born in

Glenora, Saskatchewan. During

his forty-seven years' residence in

this city he had held the post of road

superintendent for the Dominion

Government, in which capacity he

built many important roads, including

the west coast trail from

Banfield to Carmanah, and erected the

lighthouse at Triangle Island, and

for ten years served as superintendent

of the Victoria City road main-

tenance department and built many

streets while in that post.

Mr. Macdonald was the first police

commissioner of Oak Bay Municipality,

being appointed by the provincial

government to that post when the

district was incorporated. Later,

he was elected by popular vote and

served his two-year term. Mr. Mac-

donald dropped out of municipal life

for a few years, but was re-elected

police commissioner when he again

served his two-year term. He was a

Liberal in politics, being former vice-president

of the Oak Bay Liberal Association.

He was for many years a member

of the Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1,

A.P. and A.M., and was past chief

ranger of Court Vancouver, No. 5755,

A.O.F., under whose auspices the

funeral will be held.

Mr. Macdonald is survived by his

widow, at home; five sons, William

Clyde, 2647 Duport Road; Ernest L.,

Courtney; Archibald, Christopher,

Manuel, and John Donald Macdonald,

Emerson, Oak; and one daughter,

Mrs. John Black, Seattle, and one

son, Mrs. John Campbell, Brandon;

also thirteen grandchildren.

Rev. Thomas Maclean will officiate

at funeral services to be conducted

tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock

at Sands Mortuary Chapel. Interment

will be made in the family plot at

Publicity Bureau
Speaker Changed

Announcement was made at 8

o'clock to-day that Mayor G. G.

McGeer of Vancouver will be

unable to speak at the annual meeting

of the Victoria and Island

Publicity Bureau at the Empress

Hotel to-morrow as scheduled.

Instead, Mr. Brown, past president of

the bureau, will take Mayor Mc-

Geer's place. The meeting will

take the form of a luncheon and

will be conducted by that of the

Victoria and Island Publicity

Bureau. A comprehensive

annual report and important

announcements on the bureau's

policy will be made.

PIONEER DIES
AT RIPE AGE

Victoria lost a pioneer resident in

the person of Mrs. Margaret Robinson,

who passed away Saturday night

at her home, 2425 Cranmore Road,

aged ninety-four years.

Mrs. Robinson was born in

Sunderland, Durham, England, and came

to this city in 1878. Until failing health

and advancing years curtailed her

activities, she was an active member

of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church,

and leaves a wide circle of friends to

mourn her passing.

Mrs. Robinson was predeceased by

her husband, F. Robinson, eighteen

months ago, and is survived by three

daughters, Miss S. A. Robinson, Miss

M. H. Robinson and Miss Edgar Fleming,

all of Victoria; two grand-

daughters, Mrs. F. F. Toms and Miss

Dorothy Fleming, and two great

granddaughters, Misses Dorcas and

Joan Toms.

The funeral will take place on

Tuesday at 10:30 o'clock, from the

chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd.,

Rev. H. P. S. Lattrell will officiate

and burial will take place in Royal

Oak Park. The funeral services

will be private.

Native Daughter
Dies In Tacoma

Word has been received of the

death in Tacoma recently of Mrs.

William Padden, a native daughter

of Victoria. Mrs. Padden had been

ill for over a year. Funeral services

were conducted in Tacoma.

Mrs. Padden was born here at

"Lock End," Burnside Road, the

youngest daughter of the late Robert

and Jessie Anderson, who came to

Victoria from Scotland aboard the

steamer Norman Morrison in 1885.

Mrs. Padden attended Cloverleaf

School. She moved to Tacoma more

than ten years ago.

She is survived by her husband; one

daughter, Mrs. Violet Richardson, in

Tacoma; a sister, Mrs. Theodore Love,

Seattle, and nephews and nieces here

and in the United States.

BURIED AT PORT BURNFREW

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret

Elliot were held at her home at Port

Burnfrew, B.C., and many friends

attended the service, which was

conducted by the Rev. Matthew. The

casket was surrounded with beautiful

flowers and sprays. The hymns sung

were "Abide With Me" and "Rock of

Ages." The pallbearers were P. C.

King, A. McHugh, R. Lamont, R.

Butcher, R. M. Allen and R. E. Pur-

viser. The remains were laid to rest

in the family plot at Port Burnfrew.

Premises owned by William Grimes,

at 1215 Burnside Street, were

rented yesterday evening, according

to a city police report. Grimes was

reached, but nothing was reported

missing. Entrance was gained by

jumping a rear window.

Berry Plan May Be
In Time For Crops

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Spanish Conservative Association

will hold its monthly meeting

on Tuesday evening in the Campbell

Building at 8 o'clock.

Thieves who entered Gelling's Gro-

cery, Oak Bay Avenue, were un-

successful in their attempts to take any-

thing yesterday evening, according to

a city police report.

The meeting that was to be held by

the Ward 1 Liberal Association this

evening has been postponed, owing to

another important business meeting

of the association.

A meeting of the central council

of the Spanish Batepays will be

held in the Mount Talmie School at

8 o'clock to-morrow evening. All

delegates are requested to attend.

For selling meat and employing

labor on a Sunday thereby violating

the Lord's Day Act, Loy Sing, Chi-

nese, was fined \$5 one each charge

in the City Police Court this morn-

ing.

Victoria's May 24 programme

committee will meet again this evening

at 8 o'clock in the council chamber

to go into the question of finance.

Alexander T. W. C. Hawkins, chair-

man of the committee, will preside.

Ward Three Liberal Association will

hold a court white drive and dance at

Liberal headquarters on Friday eve-

ning. Card players are requested to

be on hand by 8 o'clock if possible.

All Liberals and friends invited. There

will be prizes and refreshments.

Ward Two Liberals will hold their

monthly meeting at headquarters, cor-

ner of government and Brougham

Streets, on Tuesday evening at 8

o'clock. Several speakers will address

the meeting. All Ward Two and other

Liberals are cordially invited.

J. L. Bertram, Shell Oil Company;

B. A. Bate, Canadian National Tele-

graph, and J. Macfarlane, Canadian

Pacific Railway, were welcomed as

new members of the Chamber of

Commerce at the regular luncheon of

the directors in Spencer's dining-room

to-day.

Improvement in the condition of

St. Joseph's Hospital, now convalescing

at St. Joseph's Hospital, was reported by

W. T. Strath, president of the Victoria

Chamber of Commerce, as the

regular meeting of directors of the

chamber in Spencer's dining-room to-

day.

The young people of St. Aidan's

Church met as usual on Friday eve-

ning. Mrs. M. J. Armitage gave an

interesting talk, assisted by Miss M.

Sharp, K. Jennings, G. Miley, B.

Clark, Mrs. P. Burwash and D. An-

derson. Mrs. Gilbert had charge of the

worship period.

At the C.C.F. headquarters, 724

Port Street, on Tuesday evening, at

8 o'clock, the S.P. of C. weekly

club will deal with Clayton's "Rise

of Socialism in Great Britain." There

will be the usual questions and dis-

cussion period. The meeting is open

to the public.

The reference and magazine rooms

on the second floor of the Victoria

Public Library will be closed to-mor-

row until further notice, in order

to make necessary alterations and

additions to the department. The

circulation and the boys and girls

departments will be open as usual.

Children's Aid Society members are

reminded that nominations for the

board of directors must be in writing,

signed by two members in good

standing, and must be in the hands

of the secretary before the commence-

ment of the annual meeting, Thurs-

day, February 14, at 4 p.m., at the

City Hall.

The Chamber of Commerce to-day

endorsed the Junior Chamber of

Commerce in its efforts to have the

national radio hook-up, after hearing a

report on the matter from Percy George,

chairman of the special junior cham-

ber committee dealing with that ques-

tion.

Those who took part in the direc-

tion of Stanley Sulley last December, are

reminded of the meeting which will

be held this evening in Memorial Hall,

at 8 o'clock. Mr. Sulley will be

invited to be present and plans will

be made for continuing the rehearsal.

Those attending are asked to enter

by the side door from Burdette street.

Rev. Robert Connell, leader of the

opposition, will address a C.C.F. pub-

lic meeting at 724 Port Street, this

evening, at 8 o'clock. His subject

will be "The C.C.F. Faces the Future."

Mr. Connell will probably refer

to the discussion that has taken

place lately in the public press con-

cerning the policy of the Co-operative

Commonwealth Federation.

Members of the Red Cross Association

of Vancouver Island will hold a

smoker and reunion at the Brough-

am Hotel, 715 West Street, at 8

o'clock, next Saturday night. It

is announced by Major P. T. Stern,

honorary secretary. Members may

bring other ex-service men as guests.

The Red Cross Association is

composed of originals of Imperial and

Dominion forces overseas in the late

war, with a membership of about 250

on this island.

A permit for a ten-room house,

valued at \$18,000, was issued from the

Oak Bay Municipal Hall to-day to

Mrs. C. D. Flender. The house will

be built on Turn Place, in the Up-

lands, with Graham Johnson as the

architect, and W. L. Leigh, as con-

tractor. Permits were also taken out

last week by W. Turgenev for a \$4,000

house on Somers Drive. This will be

a six-room structure, generally valued

at \$2,500 and \$2,700 are to be erected

by A. W. B. Jones, owner and con-

tractor, at 2525 and 2545 Cranmore

Road, respectively.

